Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 28 May 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 29 May 2022

Forecast Issued on Friday 27 May 2022 at 14:03

Confidence: High for a fine and dry Saturday ahead of the increasing risk of showers from Sunday. Lower for exact detail of shower location into next week.

Headline for Saturday 28 May 2022: Fine and dry with an increasing amount of strong sunlight.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 28 May 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Mist	Partly cloudy (night)	Mist	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	00%	00%	00%

Forecast for Saturday 28 May 2022

Weather: A slightly chilly start to the day with a mixture of clear periods and scattered low cloud temporarily covering the summits. A dry and fine day follows with an increasing amount of warm sunshine. Skies staying largely clear into the evening and night.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70% at first, becoming 90% or greater by mid-morning.

Low Cloud and visibility: Visibility is expected to be mostly good or excellent with distant hills clearly visible. Poor visibility is possible at first in any patchy low cloud with bases down to 300-400m, briefly obscuring nearby landmarks.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	17/21 N	18/22 N	15/19 N	14/19 N	13/19 N	12/18 N	12/18 N	13/18 N	11/15 N
600	9/12 N	9/13 N	11/15 N	13/18 N	13/18 N	12/18 N	11/17 N	6/10 N	5/8 NE
300	5/12 N	5/13 N	7/12 NW	9/15 N	10/16 N	10/16 N	9/14 N	3/10 N	3/7 N
Valley	6/13 N	6/14 NW	7/13 NW	10/15 N	11/17 N	10/16 N	9/14 N	3/10 N	3/6 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	3/-2	3/-2	3/-1	4/-0	5/2	6/2	5/2	4/0	4/1
600	6/3	5/2	6/2	7/3	8/5	8/6	8/5	6/4	6/4
300	8/7	7/6	8/6	10/7	11/9	11/9	11/9	8/7	7/6
Valley	10/8	9/7	9/7	12/10	14/12	15/14	12/10	10/9	8/8
Freezing Level*	1400m	1200m	1300m	1300m	1300m	1300m	1300m	1500m	1500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

An excellent day to be out on the hills. Make sure to protect your skin in the lengthy sunshine as UV levels are expected to be high.

Forecast for Sunday 29 May 2022

Weather: Largely clear skies through the early hours of Sunday but with the risk of some shallow mist and fog patches forming in valleys – these quick to clear as the sun rises. Cloud building through the morning, leading to some hazy sunshine but also the risk of occasional showers, perhaps heavy at times. The showers easing off into the evening with some clear periods developing.

Maximum wind: 10mph northeasterly winds on the summits.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90% in the early hours and into the evening, falling to 70% during the day.

Low Cloud and visibility: Cloud arriving through the morning will largely be above the summits but could occasionally drop to 400-500m, most likely in association with showers. This will temporarily obscure higher slopes, whilst any showers will also reduce visibility for a time. Before the showers begin and after they ease, very good visibility is expected.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 6 Celsius, rising to plus 15 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 4 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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